

Winter insect fauna exceeds the summer one in the Issyk-Kul Lake Basin in both biomass and density. Samples were taken with the original equipment protected against freezing. Data on abundance and biomass are given for the dominant groups. Chironomidae were dominant in most cases. Tributary fauna showed larger diversity than the main stream fauna. Himalopsyche gigantea, Hydropsyche ornatula and H. guttata are mentioned as inhabiting the rivers in Kirgizia. (The last two identifications are highly questionable: V.I.).

#### Correction

The references to two papers (see BRAUERIA 20:22, 52) should read correctly as follows:

Непомнящих, В.А., Валушок, Л.Н.,  
1990. Инстинктивное поведение  
личинки ручейников Chaetopteryx  
villosa Fabr. - В сб.: Физиоло-  
гия, биохимия и токсикология  
пресноводных животных. Тр. Инсти-  
тута биологии внутренних вод АН  
СССР, вып. 57(60).Л., Наука: 29-41.

Nepomnyashchikh, V.A., Valyushok, L.N., 1990,  
Instinctive behaviour in larvae of the caddisfly  
Chaetopteryx villosa Fabr. - In: Physiology,  
biochemistry and toxicology of the freshwater  
animals. Proc. Inst. Biol. Vnutrennikh Vod  
(Inst. Inland Waters) Acad. Sci. USSR 57(60):29-41.  
Leningrad. Nauka.

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тельное поведение личинки ручейни-  
ков Chaetopteryx villosa Fabr. -  
В сб.: Физиология, биохимия и токси-  
кология пресноводных животных. Тр.  
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АН СССР, вып. 57 (60).Л., Наука:  
95-103.

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Influence of chlorophos on building behaviour in  
larvae of the caddisfly Chaetopteryx villosa Fabr.  
- In: Physiology, biochemistry and toxicology of  
the freshwater animals. Proc. Inst. Biol. Vnutrennikh  
Vod (Inst. Inland Waters) Acad. Sci. USSR  
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#### PROTECTED CADDISFLIES IN HUNGARY

The current ministerial decree of protected plant and animal species was published on 31st March 1993 in number 36 of the Hungarian Gazette ("Magyar Közlöny"). The lists of this decree contain 454 protected plant species, 397 invertebrates and a further 47 plant and 76 vertebrates which are protected to a marked degree. The following eleven caddisfly species were declared protected ones, the first in Hungary. In brackets is their "value of ideas" in Hungarian forint (100 HUF are about 1 US \$). If caught without permission, the violator has to pay a fine of the sum for each specimen.

Apatania muliebris (10.000)  
Chaetopteryx rugulosa (2.000)  
Chaetopteryx schmidtii mecsekensis (10.000)  
Ceraclea nigronervosa (10.000)  
Drusus trifidus (10.000)  
Limnephilus elegans (10.000)  
Melampophylax nepos (2.000)  
Oligotricha striata (2.000)  
Platyphylax frauenfeldi (50.000)  
Plectrocnemia minima (10.000)  
Rhyacophila hirticornis (2.000)

One of the rarest member of the Hungarian fauna is Platyphylax frauenfeldi Brauer, living mostly in the river Dráva (Drava, Drau). It was also collected in a few other localities during the past two decades. Chaetopteryx schmidtii mecsekensis is endemic to the Mecsek Mountains. Most of other species have only a few known localities and most of their biotopes were damaged during the past decades. The protection of these species were proposed by us.

The second edition of the Hungarian "Red Book" (1990) lists 7 rare Trichoptera, all of them are included in the new ministerial decree.

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#### MEETING

8th International Conference on Ephemeroptera (14 - 18 August 1995) and 12th International Symposium on Plecoptera (18 - 20 August 1995), Château-d'Oex, Switzerland. - Information: Mayfly-Stonefly Congress, Museum of Zoology, P.O.Box 448, CH-1000 LAUSANNE 17, Switzerland.



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Present interest: Taxonomy, biology, ecology and  
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caddisflies. - Material wanted: adults and larvae  
from northwestern Europe, northeastern Asia and  
Alaska. - Information wanted: papers on  
Trichoptera generally. - Other interests: working  
on literature management on Personal community;  
species richness and variability of  
macroinvertebrates community composition in arctic  
and subarctic ponds (streams, lakes, temporary  
pools, arctic bogs).